

JEREMIAH ROBEY SPRINGER
AND LYDIA ROSETTA BIGLER
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Jeremiah (Jerry) Robey Springer was born November 17, 1878, in Midway, a son of Nathan Chatmon and Matilda Robey. **797**

several years in Soldiers Summit. He was also a good blacksmith. He has made several trips to Mexico on mining business. He, with Reese Claybourn and Nymphus Watkins from Midway was among the first cadets at the Utah State Agricultural College in Logan. He was the counselor in the Young Men's Mutual Improvement Association in the Midway First Ward. He is a member of the Sons of the Utah Pioneers.

member of the Sons of the Gzon. A son of the Gzon. He is a generous, honest, dependable man, highly respected and loved by the people of each community in which he has lived.

The Bigler family moved from Shumway, Arizona, to Mt. Pleasant, Utah, when Lydia was nine years old. It took six weeks to make the trip with teams and wagons. They crossed the Colorado River at Lee's Ferry and traveled over Lees Backbone which was a treacherous journey. Mrs. Springer remembers the water holes at Moen Coppng, Arizona, where the Mormons had a woolen mill at one time. While crossing a river during the trip, the team was caught in quicksand and only help from men at Moen Coppng prevented a tragedy.

Lydia was visiting in Midway when she met Jerry Springer. They fell in love and were later married. Mrs. Springer was president of the Young Women's Mutual Improvement Association of the Midway Second Ward. She has been a member of the singing mothers, and is a member of the Daughters of the Utah Pioneers. She has been an active Relief Society member for many years. She is a good mother, a loyal citizen, and a highly respected neighbor.

The children of Jerry and Lydia Springer

Jay Reed, married Fannie Lyman;
Mrs. Joseph (Lydia Pauline) Erwin;
Beryl Ott, married Tura Holmes;

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Son of Nathan Chapman Springer and Matilda Rober, born Nov. 17, 1878, Midway, Utah. Elder. Marshal at Midway.



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Atilda Robey, born Nov. 17, 1878, Mid-
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MIDWAY BIOGRAPHIES

Lowell Franklin, married Louise Patricia Mrs. George (Amy) Whitley; Mrs. Dean (Floris) Olsen.